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SUBJECT POTENTIAL TERRORIST THREAT US INSTALLATIONS
AND PERSONNEL

1. DECISION TO RESUPPLY ISRAEL IN PART FROM US STOCKS
IN FRG HAS BEEN WIDELY RUMORED ALREADY AND IS ALMOST
CERTAIN TO BECOME PUBLIC KNOWLEDGE IN NEXT FEW DAYS ON
CONFIRMED BASIS, ALTHOUGH DETAILS WILL BE WITHHELD TO
EXTENT POSSIBLE. WHEN THIS OCCURS WE MUST EXPECT THAT
US INSTALLATIONS AND PERSONNEL IN THE FRG AND WEST BERLIN
WILL BECOME LOGICAL AND EASILY IDENTIFIABLE TARGETS FOR
POSSIBLE ARAB TERRORIST ACTIVITIES WITH PLO OFFICE IN
EAST BERLIN LEADING CANDIDATE AS BASE OF OPERATIONS.

2. PURPOSE OF THIS MESSAGE IS TO ALERT POSTS TO POTENTIAL
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THREAT. POSTS SHOULD ASSESS THREAT AND POSSIBLE TARGETS,

TAKING SUCH PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES ON OWN OR IN CONSULTATION WITH LOCAL AUTHORITIES AS SEEMS WARRANTED. IN ADDITION TO US INSTALLATIONS AND OFFICIAL PERSONNEL, POSTS MIGHT WISH CONSIDER WHETHER ANY PARTICULAR EXTRA PROTECTION NEEDED AND FEASIBLE IN WEST BERLIN FOR LEADERS OR INSTITUTIONS WHICH MIGHT LOGICALLY BE THREATENED BY TERRORISTS, SUCH AS PRIVATE AMERICANS OR WEST BERLIN JEWISH INDIVIDUALS, GROUPS, OR INSTALLATIONS.

3. REQUEST BONN'S VIEWS RE REPEATING THIS MESSAGE TO OTHER INTRA-FRG ADDRESSEES. KISSINGER

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